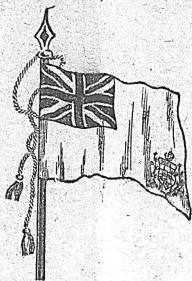


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For once the Huns told the truth, when they said "U. S. President's intervention not wanted."

No, for the Huns know that their own finish will be very much quicker.

"Why not set a price on hogs as well as wheat?" asks a correspondent in the Calgary Herald.

Some people think that there are already too many "hogs"—who are hogging the farmers' rightful profits.

"Slay example is infecting the Huns; trouble is feared. If peace negotiations fail a domestic upheaval will likely follow."

There may not be so much madness in the Bolshevik method of seeking peace.

While the Germans are busy with their peace proposals with the Russians, Bolsheviks are busy with his propaganda among the German troops—and the leaven is working alright.

"If the enemy does not want peace, then we must bring peace to the world by the battering of our iron fist and the shining sword," says the Kaiser.

It is just because of that iron fist and shining sword that there can be no Prussian peace.

An assassin fires four shots at Premier Lenin.

Russia seems to be swinging back to the old regime again.

Big Stone Chips

Messrs. Chas Tooth, Perry Fox and Chester McNeil went to Calgary recently for a winter's holiday.

Wedding bells were ringing in the region of Mrs M. R. Harrington's, when her daughter, Nellie, was made the wife of Mr. C. B. Hittle of Rearville, Jan 4th, Rev Mr. Elliott of Chinook, performing the ceremony. The wedding was very informal, only the immediate family and a few friends being present, but it was, nevertheless, a very happy occasion. The ceremony took place at noon after which a dainty repast was served. The young couple left in the early afternoon for a few days sojourn in Calgary, after which they will take up their residence on the farm where Mr. Hittle has spent considerable time during the past few months fitting up a suitable nest for himself and bride.

Rearville Rattlers

Miss Brenner, who has been visiting Mrs A. Reardon the past three months, returned to her home in Vancouver last week.

We claim that our new school-house, which has just been completed, is the best and most complete in Alberta, for its size.

The two entertainments held in our new school-house were attended by large crowds. One was for the Red Cross funds, when over \$60 was realized.

The neighbors and friends of Mrs Geo. Bull were pleased to hear that she had recovered from her recent illness, and is able to be about again.

Our neighbors, Mr Hittle and bride, who were recently "tied-up," were again "tied-up" in a snow drift while returning home from their honey-moon, last week there being three freight trains snowed-up ahead of them. What cared they—they were as happy as two turtle doves on their way home to roost. They were on their way, what did it matter.

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Enquiries Re Prisoners

The Canadian Red Cross prisoners' department at 14 Cockspur street has received a letter from the International Red Cross at Geneva, requesting that all inquiries for missing and prisoners among Canadians whether military or civilians be addressed to the Canadian Red Cross as they request they cannot reply to such inquiries direct.

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Keep the home fires burning
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Everything is being conserved these days—except life.

The British slogan is "Carry On." The German, "Carry Off."

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Appeals

UNDER THE MILITARY SERVICE ACT

The following were among the appeals heard at Hanna before Judge Greene, last week, under the Military Service Act:

Allowed while on farm
Chinook—
Carl Lensegrat Ed Everly
E. G. Madden, grain buyer
Chilmark—
Peter Luck Lewis Thomas
Harry Powers
Heathdale—
J. W. McLennan J. M. Van Hee
Cereal—
P. N. Erise C. C. Johnson
D. D. McLenzie
Youngstown—
R. G. Reece E. B. Hughes
John Giles F. E. Salzer
L. J. Kraemer N. Nicholson
Jas Hutchinson
Ernest W. Gough, Big Spring
Oyen—
Chris M. Olson J. G. Willard
Olivier Desorey C. E. Bricknell
Frederick Caya Jas Hardie
Hugo S. Carlson August Owen
Ernest Plante L. S. Barnes
Mulbach—
Frank E. Oagust J. Bercovich
Sibbald—
Austin Donovan A. E. Helgersen
H. B. Thornton H. Christenson
John McKernon, Benton
Rudolph Olson
W. J. Walker, Cappon
Reist—
Joel Reist W. McFarlane
W. L. Hesse, Campbell Hill
Jas Milmine, Stanmore, bank manager, appeal dismissed
Alex J. Campbell, Chinook, well digger, allowed until Dec. 1, 1918, and conditional upon drilling in the Chinook district
C. A. Tetlock, Youngstown, carpenter, disallowed
C. Melville, Youngstown, bank teller, allowed till next May
Walter M. Crockett, Chinook, lawyer, allowed to July 1st to wind up affairs
W. J. Harding, Youngstown, tin smith, allowed till Dec. 1st, upon condition that he remains in the employment of his present employers in the Youngstown district
R. F. McMeekin, Youngstown, bank teller, allowed till May with privilege of appealing to Central Appeal Judge
Nathan Anderson, Oyen, farmer, medical category, C 3
Joe Stein, Oyen, farmer, Russian citizen
Stuart A. Miller, Oyen, merchant
Decision reserved
W. J. Ironsides, Cereal, farmer, appeal dismissed
L. H. Horncastle, Excel, publisher, given till June to dispose of business
J. M. Clark, Oyen, American citizen
Oscar Soberg, Clemens, farmer, medical category, C 3
C. A. Burwash, Lanfne, grain buyer, allowed till May first
H. M. Frost, Excel, grain buyer, Allowed till May first
E. C. Spinler, Cereal, farmer, exempt under War Times Election Act
D. P. Rovinson, Sibbald, farmer, medical category E
J. E. Boyle, Youngstown, teller, dismissed. Leave to appeal to central

R. M. of Golden Centre No. 272

The 13th meeting of the above council was held at L. C. Michael's Monday, Jan. 7th.

Members all present, except Councillor Wilson.

Minutes read and adopted
Correspondence read and disposed of.

I. P. Opheim was recommended to the Dept. to be appointed councillor for ward 4.

Dr. Rosenkrans was instructed to disinfect Arnold Robinson and E. E. Young, as they have been exposed to smallpox.

Councillor Logan was instructed to interview J. J. Kelly and proceed with action against D. Joes.

Halifax Relief Com. was advised that owing to fact that ratepayers have given aid through school entertainments and other ways, do not feel justified to make additional levy.

All outstanding school and hail insurance taxes were assigned to the Union Bank of Canada.

J. J. Kelly was requested to furnish us with an itemized statement of expenses in Baker case.

Following accounts were paid:
W. J. Jackman 10.00
Chinook Advance, print'g 67.75
H. H. Ewing, com & fees 18.38
N. D. Ross, 3 mos salary 12.50
Ralph Greene 212.50
A. H. Melville, bolts, &c 8.85
N. W. Financial Co., premiums on bonds 15.00
S. C. Michaels, ret officer 35.00
L. K. Sully, stamps 25.00

This cleaning 1917 business, the new council met, with the exception of I. P. Opheim.

Robt Gardiner was appointed reeve and H. G. Logan deputy.

Ralph Greene was appointed sec. treas at a salary of \$950.00 and N. D. Ross was appointed auditor at a salary of \$80.00.

Robt Gardiner was appointed as delegate to annual meeting of Hail Insurance Board, and instructed to present the following resolutions:

1. That in event of R. M. voting against Hail Ins Dist, it may make up any deficit from the general funds to an amount not exceeding outstanding hail insurance taxes.

2. That the Hail Ins Board give each R. M. creditor hail ins taxes struck off of abandoned lands.

3. That flat rate of five cents per acre be struck off and make levy on crop area only. All crops to be included, except on soldiers' lands.

H. G. Logan and E. B. Fulton, with R. Gardiner as substitute, were appointed delegates to convention of Alta Assn of L. I. D.'s and R. M.'s, and instructed to present the following resolutions:

1. That the councillors' fees be increased to \$5.00 per meeting and mileage and reeves' fees be increased to \$6.00 per meeting and mileage.

2. That the November statement cover the receipts and expenditures and assets and liabilities only.

Meeting place for Council was fixed at L. C. Michaels for ensuing year.

H. H. Ewing was advised that owing to Tax Enforcement thru

To the Ratepayers of the R. M. of Sounding Creek, No. 273

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Finlay McKenzie, R. S.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS

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Dweller-Six months' residence upon cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 40 acres, on certain conditions. A habitable house is required, except where residence is performed in the winter.

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A settler who has exhausted his homestead right may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$200 per acre. Dweller-Most roads 16 months in each of three years, cultivate 30 acres and erect a house worth \$200.00.

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The Court of Confirmation, to make no further seizures.

Councillor Logan was appointed delegate to meeting held in Oyen to discuss municipal hospital.

Secretary was instructed to secure prices on Gophericide

Secretary was instructed to prepare Tax Enforcement Return

Chas Robinson and W. H. McIntyre were instructed to furnish regular time sheets for road work done by them.

E. Snyder was requested to attend next meeting of Council.

Geo. Britton was requested to let down fence till roads can be built.

Adjourned to meet Feb. 13.

Ralph Greene, Sec.-Treas.

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A. NICHOLSON,
Editor and Proprietor

Chinook Breezes

R. N. Bray is in Calgary this
week.

There will be a magic lantern
lecture in the Laughlin school-
house on Tuesday evening next,
January 22nd.

Mr. Cruckshank, late of the
Langdon branch, succeeds Mr.
Dawson as manager of the Union
Bank here. We welcome Mr.
Cruckshank to Chinook.

A singing contest is advertised
to take place in the I.O.O.F. hall
Chinook, on Thursday next, Jan.
24th, under the auspices of the
Chinook Literary Society. Dance
after the contest.

In our report of the Red Cross
finances last week, the sum of
\$54.00 was omitted from the
amounts sent to the head office
in Calgary last November.

Notice to Creditors and Claimants

In the Estate of PETE JOHNSON,
late of Big Spring, Alberta, Farmer
deceased.

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that all
persons having claims upon the
estate of the said PETE JOHNSON,
who died on the 5th February, 1916,
are required to file with the under-
signed Administrator of his estate,
by the

28th February, 1918,
a full statement, duly verified,
of their claims and of any security held
by them, and after that date the
Administrator will distribute the
assets of the deceased among the
parties entitled thereto, having re-
gard only to the claims of which
notice has been so filed or brought to
his knowledge.

Dated this 7th January, 1918.
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WANTED

A SECRETARY-TREASURER
for this year for Chinook Consoli-
dated School. Applicants for position
please hand applications to Mr. H. T.
Lensegraf, on or before January 24th
JAS. YOUNG, Chairman

\$5.00 Reward

Strayed from my premises 5 half
7-27-6 w 4th, about Dec. 25th, 2 Bay
Geldings, weight about 1,200 lbs each,
3 and 4 years old. Brand 3 X on left
shoulder, forelocks trimmed in the
fall. The above reward will be paid
for information leading to their re-
covery. CHAS. H. THOMAS,
Clemens, Alta.

Chinook Consolidated School

ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the
Chinook Consolidated S.D. was
held in the school auditorium on
Saturday afternoon last. The
attendance was not so large as
last year, although there was a
fair representation from each of
the five districts in the consoli-
dated area.

The chair was occupied by the
chairman of the School Board,
Mr. N. F. Marcy, who outlined
the business of the meeting and
the different subjects for discus-
sion. He then called for nomi-
nations for trustees for 1918—
one from each of the five dis-
tricts forming the School Board.
The following were the nomi-
nations:

Bison—H. T. Lensegraf
Popular—A. E. Roberts and W.
Vance
Buffalo Plains—Jas Young
Crocus—Neil McLean
Carpathia—Geo McIntosh

Later, Mr. Roberts withdrew
from the contest in Popular, and
the other five were elected by
acclamation.

Report of the work of the
school was given by Principal
Yake. From it we learn that
there were 135 pupils in atten-
dance at the school, ranging from
kindergarten to grade XI, the
largest number of any previous
year, the average attendance be-
ing 90 per cent. There were
now over 50 pupils in two of the
rooms, and 29 in the principal's
room—12 in Grade VIII, 4 in
IX, 7 in Grade X, and 6 in
Grade XI.

The attendance and work had
so increased that the teaching
staff had to be increased, and
after some discussion it was de-
cided to engage a fourth teacher.

The erection of a teachers'
residence, sheds for the vans and
boring for water on the school
grounds were discussed, but left
with the new board to deal with.

The work was making very
satisfactory progress, and under
the present teaching staff the
school was making a very envi-
able reputation as a centre of
learning, and pupils for the high
school grades are being attracted
from many outside points, who
are now attending our school,
and 1918 promises to be a very
successful school year.

We thank all for their
generous patronage

Wishing you all a Happy
and Prosperous New Year

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